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An Eſſay upon Heroiſm, *or* True Greatneſs.

WHEN we conſider that the ſole End of Life is Happineſs, and how much the *Happineſs of Men* depends upon *their Opinions of Things*, we ſhall ſoon be convinced of what Importance it is to have juſt *Opinions*; for ſuch as our *Opinions of Things* are, ſuch are our *Purſuits*, Reaſonable or Unreaſonable, Good or Evil. Men would ſeldom err in their Purſuit after *Pleaſure, Profit* or *Honour*, had they *juſt Notions* concerning them; and would determine *how far, and to what Degree*, they are neceſſary to their Happineſs. The reaſon why we run into ſo many Evils in Life, is becauſe we will not be at the Pains to ſtudy *what Life is*, and ſo fix and proportion our *Opinions of Things* to their *true Nature and real Value*: And their *true Nature and real Value* is juſt as much *real Good* as they produce.

Let us now try our Opinion of *Heroiſm, or Greatneſs*, by this *unerring Standard and infallible Rule*: And then, perhaps, we ſhall find, that thoſe whom the World have agreed to call *Great Men* have been *the weakeſt and the worſt* of all Mankind. Theſe Great Men have, in all Ages, been Men who have *made their Power known, who have deluged whole Countries in Blood, carried Miſery and Deſolation before 'em like a Whirlwind, and been the Plague and Terror of Mankind.* For this Reaſon has *Philip's Warlike Son* been dignified with the Title of *Son of Jupiter*; and *Alexander* is, by flattering Hiſtorians and ſlaviſh abject Minds, called *the Great*, only becauſe he went about doing *great Miſchiefs*. Men, to their everlaſting Infamy, have agreed to call this young hot-brain'd Ravager, *Great*; only becauſe he was a *Great Deſtroyer of Men*. So *Valour, Fortitude* and *Courage* are called *Virtues*; and *Power, Greatneſs*: Whereas, in truth, *Courage* has no Relation to *Virtue*, any further than it implys a *Reſolution* to do what *Reaſon* bids; nor *Power* to *Greatneſs*, but *as that Power is employ'd to do Good*: For there is no *true Greatneſs, but Goodneſs*. He only is *Great*, who does *great Good*. The Wiſe and Philoſophical Pagans *juſtly and nobly* called *Jupiter, Optimus Maximus*; the beſt and greateſt Being: and therefore the *Greateſt*, becauſe the *Beſt*.

The Reaſon, perhaps, why *Power* came to be called *Greatneſs*, was becauſe, in the early Ages, and when Men were *firſt* brought from a State of Ignorance and Barbariſm, the *firſt Objects* that ſtruck 'em, were *Beauty and Strength of Body, and Acts of Power*. *Power* ſeems to be the *firſt Idea*, and to make its way into the Mind, before *Wiſdom and Goodneſs*: Therefore, in fact, we find, that in proportion as Countries have been *Savage and Ignorant*, ſo they have been, more or leſs, *Adorers of Power*, and moſt devout Worſhippers of *Strength* and *Valour*. *Our Savage Gothick Anceſtors*, abſolutely unſkill'd in the *Beauty and Reaſon of Action*, and *ſeeing nothing* but what *they felt*, were ſuch Devotees to *this tremendous Goddeſs*, that *they try'd Right and Wrong, by Power*. In their Trials by *Fire and Water Ordeal*, they left their Deciſions to a *ſuppoſed Divine Power*: And, in *ſingle Combats or Duels*, wich were eſtabliſhed by Law, they left 'em to *human Power*. The famous Sir *John Oldcaſtle*, when charg'd with Hereſy, never pretended to Reaſon about it, but challeng'd his Accuſer to *ſingle Combat*; and bravely offer'd to prove his *Orthodoxy by his Sword*, and his *Wiſdom* by his *Strength*. This was the Caſe when *Church Power* had reduced us and all *Europe* to a State of ſuch *full confirm'd Stupidity*, that there was no *Wiſdom* or *Reaſon* in the World: But that we, after ſo many Enquiries into the *Nature of Things, and the Reaſon of Action*, ſhould ſtill continue the *barbarous Gothick* and *Savage Idea*, is aſtoniſhing. That *Lewis* XIV. for *dragooning* and *baniſhing* his good Subjects, on account of *religious Speculations which concern no Man*; and for harraſſing, robbing and murdering his *peaceable Neighbours*, becauſe they would *not* ſubmit to his Power, ſhould be call'd *Lewis the Great*, is a Scandal to our Natures, and a Reproach to our Country. That *Cæſar*, who kill'd a Million or two of *Gauls* with *Roman Arms*; and with the Money which he *robb'd the Gauls* of, *brib'd* Rome *his own Country*, and then brought home his victorious Army and deſtroy'd their Liberties; That this *Cæſar*, who wept when he ſaw *Alexander's* Statue in the Temple of *Hercules*, becauſe, at his Age, he had not done *ſuch mighty Miſchiefs*, nor equall'd him in *his prodigious Wickedneſs*, ſhould *be call'd Great*; and that the *Old Romans* ſhould be ſaid to have purchaſed *Immortal Glory*, becauſe they travell'd up and down, *plundering one half of the World, to Lord it over the other*, is the *greateſt* poſſible Abuſe of Words. For he who gratifies his Paſſions as they riſe, and at the Expence of his own Happineſs, we always call a *weak Man*: He who gratifies 'em at the Expence of *his own and others Happineſs*, is *both weak and wicked*; and yet, which is very wonderful! He who gratifies 'em at the *Expence of the Happineſs of all Mankind*, ſhall be call'd *Great and Glorious*; when, in Truth, and by a Parity of Reaſon, he is not only *moſt wicked*, but *moſt weak*. For who ſhews *the greateſt and firmeſt Mind*? He who indulges a *preſent Paſſion*, tho' to the Deſtruction of others; or he who, with great Violence, *reſtrains that Deſire* for the Good of others? The Hero, indeed, to quench his Thirſt after Glory, is not only forced to drink large Draughts of humane Blood, but to run the *hazard of ſhedding his own*; but it ſhews more *true Courage and manly Reſolution, to bear the Pain of a preſent raging Deſire*, till it can be ſubdued by *Reaſon*, than to run about knocking Mens Brains out, becauſe we can't be quiet. In the Field, 'tis true, you encounter Danger, but *'tis only Danger*; *the Evil apprehended may never be felt*. But, in the other caſe, you actually engage with your *own big and furious Deſires, and bear the moſt preſſing Evil, becauſe you will not do what is Diſhoneſt or Diſhonourable*. This *Self-Conqueſt for the Good of others* is the *only true Greatneſs*. All Men therefore, who gratify their Paſſions at the Expence of their own greateſt Good, or the Good of others, are not only *[illegible] and wicked, but weak too*: And *all Wars*, [illegible] Defence and for our own P[illegible] Nations oppreſs'd by Tyrants, [illegible]. As a *fighting Man* ſhould be kick'd out of all Companies, ſo ſhould a *fighting Nation* out of the World: 'Tis the Duty of all Men to turn againſt 'em. But when War is undertaken *for Liberty*, it loſes all its Terrors, and becomes amiable.

Humanity as well as *Juſtice* ſanctifies the taking up Arms, in ſo virtuous a Cauſe: The moſt *beautiful and glorious Character* of all the *Romans* was that of *Titus Q. Flaminius*, who entred *Greece* againſt the *Tyranny of Philip*; and who *conquer'd, on purpoſe to give Liberty*: for, when he had all *Greece* in his Power, he commanded Silence by Sound of Trumpet, and made Proclamation, *That* the Roman *Senate, and* Titus Quintius, *their Proconſular General, having vanquiſh'd King* Philip *and the* Macedonians, *reſtored the* Corinthians, Locrians, Phoceans, Eubeans, Achaians, Magnetians, Theſſalians, &c. *to their own Country, Laws, and Liberty*: He took off all Impoſitions; withdrew their Garriſons; and paſs'd thro' all their Cities, preſſing upon them *Conformity to the Laws, the conſtant Practice of Juſtice, and the Exerciſe of Friendſhip and Benevolence*; and they, in their Turn, ſaluted this *God-like* Roman with the Title of *Defender and Saviour of* Greece. This, and this only, is *true manly Courage*; the other, is only *Brutal Force*. [illegible] *Loving or Delivering* from Oppreſſion and Tyranny, is the *only Reaſon for War, beſides Self-Defence againſt allied Power*; or, *Power reaſonably apprehended to be deſigned againſt our Country*. Againſt ſuch Power, indeed, it is our Duty to arm; *but not till we have try'd all poſſible Ways to bring others to Reaſon, and do our ſelves Juſtice without going to War*. *A Tyrant himſelf* acknowledged the Truth of our Doctrine, when he put this Motto upon his Cannon, *Ultima Ratio Regum*. *Power* is the *Dernier Reſort* of all wiſe, good, and great Princes: Their *Wiſdom and Goodneſs* are *ſhewn* by excellent Inſtitutions; by *juſt* Laws well executed; and by *Liberty allowed in all Things* conſiſtent with the Preſervation of Peace and Property: And their *Greatneſs* is ſhewn, in doing whatever *Reaſon commands*, tho' their Paſſions call aloud to Forbearance: And in *not daring to do* what Reaſon forbids, tho' their Paſſions ſollicite ever ſo ſtrongly, and their Power be ever ſo great; for *Power* ought never to be uſed, but where *Wiſdom* is deficient. This is Heroiſm; and this alone is *true Greatneſs*. Let us, then, meaſure all the *Princes and Stateſmen* in *Europe by this Rule*; and do Juſtice to *His Majeſty and His Miniſters*, in proportion as they *ſhare this Merit*; employ *their Power for the Good of the Kingdom; and never make uſe of it, but when the Safety or Proſperity of the People demand it.*

SOCRATES.

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To the Author of the London Journal.

SIR,

THE Death of Men of Great Genius, who have exerted their Capacities for the Happineſs and Welfare of Mankind, touches the Breaſt of every Man of Humanity in the moſt ſenſible Manner. Such a Loſs has Sir Richard Steele been for ſeveral Years paſt; tho' he changed this State of Exiſtence but the 1ſt of this Inſtant. ——Whenever I have conſider'd him as deprived of the Pleaſure he formerly commanded, of entertaining and reforming the World, I have pity'd him in that Condition of Being he has for a long time ſuffer'd under: Nor can I reflect on the juſt Taſte he had of Humanity, that fine Turn of Wit he enjoy'd, and what we of this Nation owe to him, and let ſlip the Occaſion of his Deliverance from all his Pains and Anxieties, without endeavouring to do Honour to his Memory. Which at preſent I ſhall only attempt to do, by further publiſhing the ſhort Extract of his Life which a Friend of his has favour'd us with.

He was a Native of *Dublin*; but leaving the Kingdom of *Ireland* young, was educated at the *Charter-Houſe* in *London*. He made his firſt Appearance in the World in the Guards, where, after having rid privately for a ſmall Time, he was advanc'd to be a Lieutenant of the Coldſtream Regiment, when he wrote his *Chriſtian-Hero*; upon the Dedication of which to the Lord *Cutts*, who was a Lover of Wit, and a Man of Wit himſelf, by that Nobleman's Intereſt he ſoon obtain'd a Captain's Commiſſion in Lord *Lucas*'s Regiment of Fuſileers.

His *Chriſtian Hero* gain'd little Notice for a great while; ſo that the firſt Writing of his that made him popular was his *Funeral*; *or, Grief-Alamode*, a very humorous Comedy, which was acted at the Theatre in *Drury-Lane* 1702, with vaſt Applauſe, and dedicated to the Counteſs of *Albemarle*.

He firſt recommended himſelf to the Duke of *Marlborough* by a pleaſant Repartee he paſs'd on his Grace's preferring his own Relations; which being told to the Duke, he reliſh'd it ſo well, that his Grace took a liking to him ever after.

His firſt Acquaintance with Mr. *Addiſon* was at the *Charter-Houſe*, where they contracted a Friendſhip which laſted as long they liv'd, tho' with ſome little Miſunderſtandings on certain Occaſions. He was introduc'd by Mr. *Addiſon* to Lord *Sunderland*, and Lord *Hallifax*, and ſoon after employ'd to write the *Gazette*; which he had not done long, before he publiſh'd the *Tatler*, by which increaſing his Reputation and his Intereſt, he was preferr'd to be one of the Commiſſioners of the Stamp-Office. Upon laying down the *Tatler*, in concert with Mr. *Addiſon* he ſet up the *Spectator*, and after that the *Guardian* and *Engliſhman*, which were for the greateſt Part his own.

In the laſt Parliament of Queen *Anne*, he was choſe a Member of the Houſe of Commons for *Stockbridge*; when ſuch was his Attachment to the Succeſſion in the Illuſtrious Houſe of *Hanover*, that for treating its Enemies with a Warmth which was then reckon'd criminal, he was remov'd from his Poſts, and after a very long and warm Debate, in which ſome of the moſt eminent Members appear'd for him, he was expell'd from his Seat in Parliament.

About this Time he publiſh'd a little Tract intitled, *The Romiſh Eccleſiaſtical Hiſtory of late Years*, which he dedicated to the Right Hon. the Lord Finch, *Flash*; and beſides other political Pieces he compos'd at this Time, ſuch as ſome of his *Medleys*, *A Letter To the Guardian about* Dunkirk; *A Letter to the Bailiff of* Stockbridge, *&c.* was his *Criſis*, ſome Hints of which were given him by the late Archbiſhop of *Canterbury*, whoſe Steward procured him very large Contributions towards it; and 'tis ſuppos'd that by his *Tatlers*, *Spectators*, *Guardians*, *Engliſhmen*, *Lovers*, *Readers*, &c. by his *Plays*, *Paſtorals*, and other Pieces of *Poetry*, and by his *Political* Papers, he was ſo great a Gainer, that had his Oeconomy been equal to his Genius, he might have made a very pretty Fortune; tho' he was not very ſucceſsful in his Projects of the *Muſick Academy in York Buildings*, of which he was Governor, nor in the Fiſh-Pool Project for bringing Live Fiſh to Market, for which he had a Patent.

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King GEORGE I. of *Glorious* Memory, ſoon after his Acceſſion to the Crown, made him a Commiſſioner of the Peace for the County of *Middleſex*, Surveyor of the Stables at his Palace of *Hampton-Court*, and Governor of the *Royal Company of Comedians*; and in *April* 1715, his Majeſty was pleaſed to honour him with Knighthood, upon the preſenting of an Addreſs to his Majeſty by the Lieutenancy, of which he was the Penman.

In the firſt Parliament of his ſaid Majeſty, he was choſe a Member for *Boroughbrigg* in *Yorkſhire*, and after the ſuppreſſing of the Rebellion in the *North*, was appointed one of the Commiſſioners of the Forfeited Eſtates in *Scotland*, where he received diſtinguiſhing Marks of Reſpect from ſeveral of the Nobility and Gentry of that part of *Great-Britain*. In this Parliament Sir *Richard* voted for the Repeal of the *Triennial Act*, and of the *Occaſional Conformity* and *Schiſm Acts*; but oppos'd the *Peerage* Bill, not only within Doors, but without, by the *Share* he had in thoſe excellent Papers call'd the *Plebeian*. Not long after this, he wrote a Paper call'd the *Theatre*, in Oppoſition to the *South-Sea* Schemers, which ſome how or other gave Offence; the Conſequence of which was very well known. He likewiſe wrote ſome of the *Paſquins*, and two Papers call'd The *Whig*.

Towards the latter End of his Life he grew Paralytick, and being perfectly diſabled for all Sorts of Buſineſs, Study and Converſation, having in a great Meaſure loſt his Speech, as well as the Uſe of his Limbs, he retir'd to *Caermarthen* in *Wales*, where he linger'd ſeveral Years in that unhappy Condition.

The Deceaſed marry'd to his firſt Wife a Lady of *Barbadoes*, with whom he had a Plantation upon the Death of her Brother, who was taken by the *French* at Sea, as he was coming to *England*, and dy'd in *France*.

His firſt Wife dying without Iſſue, he married Mrs. *Scurlock*, Daughter and Heireſs to —— *Scurlock*, Eſq; of *Llangunnor* near *Caermarthen*, by whom he had Iſſue two Sons, who are both dead, and two Daughters, who are living. The Sons were named the one *Richard*, and the other *Eugene*, which laſt had the Honour to have Prince *Eugene* of *Savoy* to be his Surety at the Font, and was a hopeful Scholar at that noble Foundation where his Father was educated.

Beſides the *Funeral*, or *Grief-a-la-mode* abovementioned, the Deceaſed wrote two other celebrated Plays, which are printed with the *Funeral*, in one Vol. 12mo. with a general Dedication to the Dutcheſs of *Hamilton*, viz.

I. The *Tender Husband*, or, *Accompliſhed Fools*. A Comedy acted at the Theatre Royal 1703; and Dedicated to Mr. *Addiſon*, who wrote the Prologue to it.

II. The *Lying Lovers*, or, the *Ladies Friendſhip*. A Comedy acted at the Theatre Royal 1704, and dedicated to the (late) D. of Ormond.

And to theſe we may add the laſt Play he ever publiſh'd, viz. *The Conſcious Lovers*.

This ingenious Gentleman, beſides his excellent Plays, has left us ſome Poetical Writings, which tho' few in Number, and generally eſteem'd not the beſt of his Performances, yet all Judicious allow them to abound with good Senſe, and to have ſome of the Wit natural to the Deceaſed. They are,

I. *An Imitation of Horace's* VIth ODE, applied to the Duke of Marlborough.

II. The *Proceſſion*. A Poem on the Funeral of Queen Mary, Written in the Year 1695, which expreſſes the univerſal Concern the Nation was under for the Loſs of that incomparable Princeſs.

III. To Mr. Congreve, occaſion'd by his Comedy call'd, *The Way of the World*.

SIR, I hope both you and the Publick will excuſe me for taking up ſo great a Part of your Paper in Commemoration of a Gentleman to whom they are ſo indebted for the Entertainment he has given them by his Writings, and for the noble Stand he made in Defence of his Country and the PROTESTANT SUCCESSION againſt a corrupt Miniſtry, who had made ſuch bold Advances to defeat it.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

Hanover, *Sept.* 13.

THE Peace between this Court and that of Pruſſia is concluded: The Perſons who were ſeized and inliſted by Force on either ſide are to be delivered up, and the Conventions in regard to the Cartel are renewed.

Hamburgh, *September* 13. An Accommodation being as good as agreed on between the Courts of Berlin and Hanover, the Freedom of Navigation upon the Elbe for all Ships and Veſſels belonging to Maegdenburg, Berlin, &c. is again opened. We hear the Hanoverian Troops are to quit the Dutchy of Meklenburg, except 2 or 300 Men, who are to tarry at Boitemburg, till the Accounts are entirely ſettled. By our Letters this Day arrived from Berlin, we underſtand his Pruſſian Majeſty is indiſpoſed of the Gout.

Wezel, *Sept.* 14. We have received here the agreeable News, that the Differences between the Courts of Pruſſia and Hanover have been amicably determined, and that the Camp which the King of Pruſſia had form'd near Maegdenburg broke up five Days ago, and marched into their former Quarters. The two Regiments of Foot of Prince George of Heſſe and Colonel Sleinitz, which were come hither, departed alſo on the 12th for their former Quarters.

Paris, *September* 17. The King has given 50,000 Livres in Money and 6000 Livres Penſion to M. Peyrac, who delivered the Queen.—The 10th the Parliament went to compliment the King on the Birth of the Dauphin, and the French Academy did the like next Day.—The Dutcheſs of Tallard, Grand-Daughter to the Dutcheſs of Ventadour, has taken upon her the Office of Governeſs of the Children of France to eaſe that Lady, and ſhe has 12000 Livres Yearly.—M. de Buzanval, Dean of St. Quintin, died the 7th Inſtant.

Cadiz, *August* 30. The Delivery of the Treaſure and Effects brought by the Galleons and Quick Silver Ships, which commenced the 17th Current, is ſtill continued upon the Terms particularized in my former; and the Galleons will certainly be got ready to ſail by December for Carthagena and Porto Bello; and as the Commerce flatter themſelves that the King will delay granting to the Aſſiento Company a Schedula for an Annuall Ship, until the next Year, our Trade begins to revive, and 'tis not doubted but they will go very rich.

Briſtol, *Sept.* 6. On Monday and Tueſday, laſt Week, the Weavers roſe in a great Body without Lawford's Gate, and broke open and rifled ſeveral Places where Looms were, and carried them away, with Chains and other Effects, and burnt them in the open Street. They got to ſuch a Head that ſeveral Companies of the Regiment in Quarters here were ſent to repel 'em; they had no Orders to fire, but only to prevent them from Entring the Ware-houſes, and pulling down Houſes, which they attempted. The Reaſons they gave for it was, that the Maſters had combined to lower 6 d. in a Piece of their Wages; but all is quiet now again.—Skull, the old Man, condemn'd the laſt Aſſizes at Wells, for the Murder of Self the Bailiff and his Followers at Witcomb near Bath, which Murder was committed 13 Years ago, was brought laſt Wedneſday to be executed at Bath, and hang'd in Chains on Odd Down; but the Colliers roſe in a Body, and would not permit it; whereupon he was conveyed to Wells, and there executed the next Morning in the uſual private manner, and the ſame Day his Body was convey'd to Odd Down, where a Gibbet was erected, but pull'd down before they came, and being again put up, the Body in Chains was fixed thereon; but the ſame Night the Body and the Chains were entirely carried off, and are not yet found.

LONDON, September 13.

LAST Wedneſday at Four a Clock in the Afternoon, his Majeſty arrived at Helvoetſluys from Hanover, having ſet out from thence on Sunday after Dinner; and after refreſhing himſelf, went on Board the Carolina and Mary Yacht at Five, and landed on Thurſday Morning at Eleven, at Margate in Kent, after a Paſſage of 18 Hours, having been convoy'd by two or three Dutch Men of War; the Lord Torrington, with the Men of War and Yachts under his Command, not being arrived when His Majeſty ſet Sail.

Mr. Storer, one of His Majeſty's Meſſengers in Ordinary, who came over in the ſame Yacht, came Poſt upon His Majeſty's Landing, to acquaint the Queen therewith; and about Eight o' Clock on Thurſday Night, arrived at his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle's Office, and proceeded immediately to Kenſington.

His Majeſty intended to have lain at Sittingbourne on Thurſday Night, but freſh Setts of Horſes lying ready on the Road to bring him forward for London, he arrived at Greenwich the ſame Night about Eight o' Clock; where one of His Majeſty's Coaches waited, which brought him through the City and carried him to Kenſington, being eſcorted by a Detachment of the Duke of Bolton's Horſe to Whitehall; where a Detachment of the Horſe Guards received him, and eſcorted him to Kenſington; at which Place His Majeſty arrived (God be praiſed) in good Health at half an Hour after Ten.

The *Frances*, Capt. Lawſon, from Eaſt-India, which on Monday Night laſt was riding at Anchor along ſide the Hulk off Woolwich, parted her beſt Bower Cable and went on Shore, (with the Tide of Ebb) at the lower End of the Town; the Water ſewed from her about 4 Feet, before the Tide of Flood came, when having great Aſſiſtance, ſhe was floated, and endeavouring to moor her along ſide of the Hulk, ſhe ran athwart her Hauſer, by which Means the *Frances* received conſiderable Damage in her Quarters, (the Wind all the while blowing very hard at Eaſt) but on Tueſday they moored her very ſafely.

The South Sea Company received laſt Wedneſday Night the Schedula's for the Buenos Ayres Ship and Factory; as alſo for the Reſtitution of their Effects there.

On Saturday laſt Mr. Spelman, a young Gentleman of a good Family and of liberal Education, being diſorder'd in his Senſes, cut his Throat at his Lodgings in Eaſt-ſtreet near Red Lyon Square; but happening to miſs his Wind-pipe, Mr. Cheſelden was ſent for, who ſewed up the Wound, and 'tis hoped he will recover. This unhappy Gentleman, finding his firſt Attempt ineffectual, gave himſelf a Wound from his Throat to his Navel, which not being very deep proved of no bad Conſequence, and another a-croſs his Arm.

On Sunday two young Men being in a Boat near the Bank-End, Southwark, one of them ſlipt over board, whereupon the other jumped after him, in order to ſave him from drowning, but they both ſunk, and were drowned. They have ſince been taken up, and the Coroner's Inqueſt having ſat on their Bodies, brought in their Verdict *Accidental Death*.

The ſame Afternoon an Apprentice of Mr. Meadows, an Anchor-Smith in Rotherhith, was drowned as he was waſhing himſelf in the Thames.

The ſame Day the Rev. Mr. Thomas Harriſon, late Teacher of a Baptiſt Congregation in Little Wild-ſtreet, received Epiſcopal Ordination from the Biſhop of London.

On Monday laſt the Rt. Rev. the Lord Biſhop of St. David's preſented to her Majeſty his learned Vindication of the Miracles of our Bleſſed Saviour, in Anſwer to Mr. Woolſton's Diſcourſes; which her Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to confer the Dignity of a Baronet on Cyrill Wych, Eſq; his Majeſty's Envoy-Extraordinary to the Hanſe Towns.

On Tueſday Mr. Thomas Bambridge was, by Virtue of an Order from the Court of the Lord-Mayor and Aldermen, carried by the Keeper of Newgate before the ſaid Court at Guildhall, where he was bail'd upon the Indictment againſt him for Felony; himſelf was bound in 2000 l. Bond, and his 3 Sureties in 2000 l. more, viz. one in 1200 l. another in 500 l. and the 3d in 300 l. He is ſtill detained in Newgate upon the Appeal lodged againſt him for Murder, and likewiſe upon an Action of Debt.

On Wedneſday the Seſſions were held at Guildhall for the Diſcharge of Inſolvent Debtors, where 50 were diſcharg'd from Woodſtreet and Ludgate, one in the Latter had been confin'd 26 Years. Several were likewiſe diſcharged who had been Fugitives for Debt, and were out of England on the 1ſt of February, and had ſince ſurrendred themſelves purſuant to the Act.

The ſame Day Lewis Roger de Campagnole was committed to Newgate by Juſtice Bowles, upon the

the Oaths of John Mackowle, Auguſtin Milliner, Alexander Small, and others, for firing and diſcharging ſeveral Piſtols, loaded with Powder and Ball, in the Pariſh Church of St. Martin's in the Fields, and for drawing his Sword and cauſing a great Diſturbance in Prayer Time, and for aſſaulting ſeveral Perſons in the ſaid Church, and particularly Mr. Williams, who now lies in Danger of his Life, as Oath made by Mr. Alexander Small, Surgeon; and likewiſe for aſſaulting and wounding John Mackowle and Auguſtin Milliner in the ſaid Church.—His Worſhip, after the Commitment, did, with great Prudence and Humanity, deſire the Keepers of the Goal to uſe the Priſoner well, and to be as careful as they can that he doth not do himſelf a Miſchief, he being thought to be diſordered in his Senſes.

On Thurſday the Common Council of this City met at Guildhall, and confirmed the ſeveral Tranſactions of the Committee of City Lands, in relation to ſeveral Leaſes, and particularly an Alteration in that of Petty-France: And afterwards ordered a Bill for the Common Council's more frequent Meeting.

Eccleſiaſtical Promotion. The Rev. Mr. Le Hunt is preſented to the Vicarage of Kidderminſter, in the County and Dioceſe of Worceſter.

Deaths. By Letters from Carmarthen we hear that Sir Richard Steele died there on the 1ſt Inſtant. —Laſt Week died at his Lodgings at Kenſington, Mr. Hammond, who kept the George Tavern at Charing-Croſs.——Sunday died of a Dropſy, the Rev. Dr. John Cumming, Miniſter of the Scots Church in Lothbury.—Tueſday died, after a ſhort Illneſs, the Eldeſt Miſs Robinſon, the juſtly celebrated Dancer at Drury Lane Theatre.—The ſame Day died at his Houſe in Queen's Square, Weſtminſter, the Right Hon. Heneage Finch, Earl of Winchelſea, Viſcount Maidſtone, Baron Finch of Eaſtwell, Lord of the Royal Manor of Wye, and Baronet.——Laſt Week died in Cornwall, Peter St. Aubin, Eſq; Brother to Sir John St. Aubin, one of the Knights of the Shire for the ſaid County.——They write from Canterbury, that on Sunday laſt died the Rev. Mr. James Baylis, Vicar of Monckton in the Iſle of Thanet. And that a few Days ago Mr. Samuel Mills, Attorney at Law, ſecond Son of Samuel Mills, Eſq; late one of his Majeſty's Juſtices for the County of Kent, died ſuddenly at Coventry.

Chriſtned, Males 178. Females 176. In all 354.
Buried, Males 331. Females 345. In all 676.
Increaſed in the Burials this Week [illegible]

Prices of Goods at Bear Key.

per Quarter.		per Quarter.	
Wheat —	30 to 42	Hog Peaſe	20 to 24
Rye ——	19 to 21	Peaſe ——	26 to 29
Barley —	20 to 23	Pale Malt —	23 to 27 6
Oates	16 to 17	Brown Malt	25 to 28
Horſe Beans	26 to 30	Tares ——	16 to 22

Coals 25 to 26 s. per Chaldron.
Hops 1727—12 to 15 s. per Hundred.
Hops 1728—25 to 35 s. per Hundred.
Hops 1729—30 to 45 s. per Hundred.
Rape Seed—16 l. to 17 l. per Laſt.

Thurſday South Sea Stock was 102 3 4ths. 102 3 8ths. 102 1 half to 5 8ths. South Sea Annuity 106 1 half. Bank 139 3 4ths. for Opening. Bank Circulation 4 l. 4 s. Prem. India 179 3 4ths. 179. 179 1 4th to 1 half. Three per Cent. Ann. 93 1 8th. 93. Royal Exchange Aſſurance 86 1 4th. London Aſſurance 11 3 4ths. York Buildings 14 3 4ths. African 30. Engliſh Copper 4 l. Welch Copper 1 l. 5 s. South Sea Bonds 3 l. 19 s. Prem. India Bonds 4 l. 18 s.

The Publick General CORRESPONDENCE, *of Affairs for* Improving *Money, Trade and Eſtates, &c.*

There are two PLACES to be Sold, one of about 900 l. and the other of about 400 l. Value, and one of 2000 l. Value or thereabouts is wanted.

Securities are wanted for ſeveral Sums of Money, ſome of which are large, and 1200 l. is wanted on a good MORTGAGE.

Several Perſons want to buy ANNUITIES, ſome for the Lives of the Purchaſers, and others for the Lives of the Sellers, or during the Joint Lives of both Buyer and Seller; and one Gentleman wants to buy any Annuity from 200 l. a Year to 500 or 600 l. a Year, either for his own Life or the Life of any other young or middle aged Perſon.

A Letter dated the [illegible] September, 1729, ſigned J. H. is received, and the Propoſal will be accepted.

ESTATES *which ſome Perſons want to* BUY.

A Farm of about 100 l. a Year.——Another of 500 or 600 l. Value, or thereabouts, within 20 Miles of London.——An Eſtate in Land from 4000 to 6000 l. Value, or thereabouts.——Some Houſes with Shops in good Streets for Trade, in or about London.——A Ground Rent not above 50 l. a Year.——And ſeveral Perſons want to buy or hire other Eſtates.

ESTATES *which ſome Perſons want to* SELL.

Some Leaſehold Houſes, in one of the City Markets, there being about 16 Years of the Leaſe to come. ——A Farm of 190 l. a Year, having a very good Farm-Houſe.——A good Freehold Houſe, lately built, with a Stable, Garden, &c. with or without a ſmall Eſtate near the Houſe, being at Eltham in Kent.——And ſeveral Perſons want to Sell or Lett other Eſtates.

THE *Particulars will be given by Mr.* Thomas Rogers, *Agent for Perſons who want any ſuch Buſineſs to be done. He is Daily (except Saturdays) after* THREE *o'Clock, at the* Rainbow *Coffee-houſe, near* Temple-Bar, *or at his Houſe in* ESSEX-STREET, *the 4th below the Paſſage to the Temple. He Anſwers Letters (Poſt Paid), and Advertiſes if deſired, not otherwiſe; all at his own Charges if not ſucceſsful.*

JAMES WEST,

Late Partner with Mr. RYDER *by the Cloyſters, is removed with* FRANCIS GREGG *and* EDWARD BOFT *to the* Black-moor's Head, *againſt Foſter-lane in Cheapſide,*

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Likewiſe Hats, Silk and Worſted Camblets, Riding Hoods, and Habits, Mens Gowns, Quilted Petticoats, Cloth Cloaks, Velvet Hoods, &c.
At the loweſt Prices.

Sept. 11, 1729.

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William Cox,
Richard Hatt,
John Gray.

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The one is Orpheus in a Foreſt, playing on his Lyre, and beating exact Time with his Head and Foot to every Tune, among a great Number of wild Beaſts, who, by their various Motions ſeem to be animated and charmed by his Harmony. At the ſame time it performs on ſeveral Inſtruments great variety of fine Pieces of Muſick compos'd by Mr. Handel, Corelli, and other celebrated Maſters, in ſo excellent a Manner, that ſcarce any Hand can equal. Likewiſe the ſweet Harmony of [illegible] Birds, which is imitated to ſo great a Perfection, as not to be diſtinguiſhed from Nature itſelf.

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On the Land are Horſemen, Carts, Chaiſes, &c. paſſing along, the Wheels turning round as tho' on the Road, the Men and Horſes altering their Poſition to keep themſelves upright, as they come down a ſteep Hill, and paſs thro' a Valley.

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N. B. To be ſeen any Time of the Day till 11 at Night without Loſs of Time.

I Sarah Carpenter, Dwelling with Mr. George Carpenter, Plane-maker in the Pariſh of St. Mary Magdalen Bermondſey beyond Stone-bridge, was for a conſiderable time very much diſordered with the Head-ach, Faintneſs, Sickneſs, and a Load at my Stomach, with a deſire to eat Bread, but my Mouth would generally run with Water after eating. I laboured alſo under a great Drowth, Shortneſs of Breath, a Weakneſs in my Limbs, and generally a fulneſs, as as it were puffed up in my Bowels. Theſe and the like Diſorders would not ſometimes allow me to take any Reſt for 6 or 7 Nights together; but laſt Whitſuntide perceiving I was troubled with Worms, and not obtaining Relief from any means uſed, I went to

Mr. JOHN MOORE, *Apothecary*,

At the Peſtle and Mortar in Laurence-Pountney-Lane, the firſt Great Gates on the Left-Hand from Cannon-ſtreet,

And by the uſe of his Worm Medicines I voided a Joint-worm 9 Foot long, beſides abundance of ſmall ones; ſince the coming away of which I find myſelf much relieved as to my before mentioned Diſorders, and deſire this may be printed, that others alſo may know where to have a Cure. Witneſs. Sarah Carpenter.

N. B. The Worm is to be ſeen at Mr. Moore's Houſe.

N. B. The ſaid John MOORE's Worm Medicines and [illegible] Powders are ſold at the following Places: at Mrs. [illegible] at the three Tobacco-Pipes a Chandler's Shop in [illegible]; Mr. George a Perfumer's, the Corner of Dover-ſtreet in Piccadilly; Mr. James Abree's Printing Office, Canterbury; and at Mr. Benjamin [illegible], a Bookſeller in Plimouth: with plain Directions by his Order, ſealed with his Coat of Arms, being a Croſs, with the Words John Moore's Worm Powders, &c. inſcribed round it. And if any are ſold at any Place, except at his own Houſe, without that Seal and Inſcription, they are Counterfeits.

THeſe are to certify, That I, Sarah, the Wife of Richard [illegible], Taylor, Dwelling at Mr. [illegible], over-againſt Red-Lyon Court in Drury-Lane, have been afflicted with the Cholick for the Space of 12 Years, but for 2 Years laſt paſt have been violently afflicted with Cholick, [illegible] I tryed a great many Doctors and Apothecaries, went to the Diſpenſatory and had the Advice of the Phyſicians there; but all failing, [illegible] very weak and poor Condition to

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And taking his Medicines, in a Fortnight's Time I found my ſelf begin to mend apace, and I thank God I am now free from my abovementioned Complaints. Wherefore in Gratitude I think I cannot do leſs than make this publick Acknowledgment [illegible]

Witneſs [illegible] Sarah [illegible]

N. B. [illegible] Fevers or Agues, [illegible] without one Grain of [illegible]

N. B. [illegible] Hands.

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The KING's Majeſty,

IN Conſideration that many Thouſands of his loving Subjects have been cured of Agues and Fevers, the Rheumatiſm, Cholick, exceſſive Pains in the Limbs, Coughs, Colds, &c. by the new Chymical Medicine and Preparation call'd Dr. BATEMAN's Pectoral Drops, his Majeſty hath, for the common Good of Mankind, been graciouſly pleaſed to grant his Royal Letters Patents, under the Great Seal of Great Britain, to the Perſons concerned in preparing the ſaid Medicine, ſtrictly commanding all others not to make, imitate or counterfeit the ſame.

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To the Widow CLUER *at her Warehouſe in* Bow *Church-yard*, London,

THOMAS WAYMAN, Saleſman in *Cambridge*, having for ſeveral Years laſt paſt, but particularly 3, 4 and 5 Years ago been afflicted with deep Dropſical Humours, and probably a Complication of Diſtempers, inſomuch that my Legs particularly have been at various times violently ſwoln or ſwell'd, ſo as to diſable me from my Buſineſs; and having alſo very violent Pains, and tried many other Medicines ineffectually, at length hearing of the celebrated and incomparable Medicine called Doctor *BATEMAN's Pectoral Drops*, I accordingly took ſeveral Bottles (bought of Mr. *DALBY MART* of *Cambridge*, Goldſmith, who has 'em from the aforeſaid Widow CLUER,) and found abundant real Benefit thereby, and ſtill at times have recourſe thereto, whereby I verily believe, thro' the Bleſſing of God, I am now in a good State of Health and Conſtitution of Body.

N. B. I have various Stones of different Sizes and Shapes which came from me after the moſt racking Pains upon taking this valuable Medicine; and this I deſire may be made Publick for the general Benefit of Mankind. Witneſs my Hand,

Cambridge, May 25. 1729. *Thomas Wayman.*

DR. ROBERT EATON's BALSAMICK STYPTICK is only prepared and ſold at the Doctor's late Dwelling-Houſe, now Mr. *Duncan's*, in *Saliſbury Court, Fleetſtreet*, and at *Garway's* old Shop, the [illegible], at the South Entrance of the Royal *Exchange*, over-againſt *Exchange-Alley* in *Cornhill*, in Bottles at 7 s. 6 d. at 5 s. at 2 s. 6 d. and at 1 s. 6 d. the largeſt containing a Pint, with proper Allowances to Apothecaries, Surgeons, Midwives and others that take larger Quantities.

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RAMSAY, Surgeon and Man-midwife, (who in the Year 1724, made uſe of a Method of his own, in curing Ruptures and Broken Bellies, on ſome Perſons in the Preſence of ſeveral eminent Phyſicians and Surgeons, who allowed their Names to be printed in the Publick Papers on that Occaſion, ſeveral times between *Auguſt* 20, 1724, and the latter End of *April* following, to which he refers) is removed from his Houſe in *Dartmouth-ſtreet, Weſtminſter*, to *Caſtle-yard, Holborn*. He is at preſent able by the length of Time, ſince his firſt Practice, to convince any Perſon who ſhall apply to him, of the Certainty of his Cures. Two Gentlemen, cured by him, in 1724, were view'd and examined the 12th of *January* laſt, by ſeveral able Phyſicians and Surgeons, ſome of the Gentlemen mentioned in his former Advertiſement, of 1724, who all unanimouſly expreſs'd their entire Satiſfaction of the perfect Cure of thoſe Patients, and of the Certainty of his Method. For further Satiſfaction [illegible] of the following Perſons who were cured by him, having allowed their Names and Places of Abode to be publiſhed, Mr. *Francis Smith*, Periwig-maker, aged above 50, broken on both Sides, to be heard of at *Tyler's* Coffee-houſe in *Exchange-Alley*; Mr. *Alexander Small*, aged above [illegible], over-againſt the *White Horſe* in *Cheapſide-ſtreet*; a Daughter of Mr. *Mackenzie's*, Goldſmith, at the End of *Little Warwick-ſtreet, Charing-Croſs*; Mr. *John* [illegible], aged above 40, at the *White Eagle* in *Suffolk-ſtreet*. He has Reduced the Time of Cure to between 5 and 6 Weeks. His Hours are from 8 to 12 in the Morning, except *Thurſday, Friday* and *Saturday*. No Letters received, except Poſt paid.

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